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Dearest Alice;

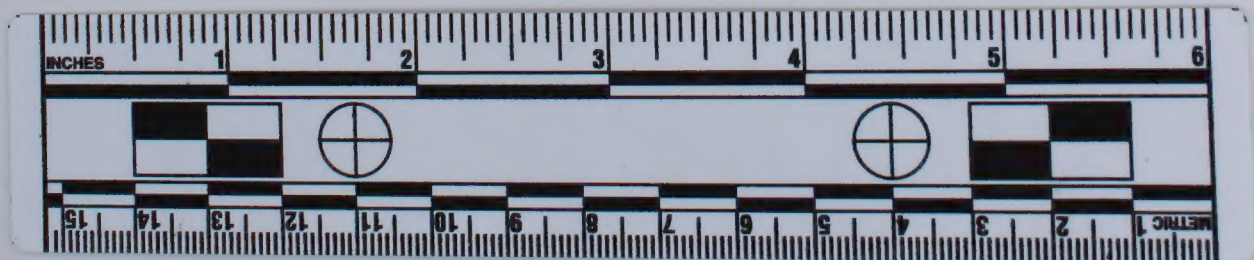
I received your letter ^{last Sat.}, and was very glad to hear from you, but I have been so busy, I couldn't hardly find time to write to you.

How are you? We are quarantined for scarlet fever, ~~and~~ can't leave for about 3 weeks, 2 of the boys have scarlet fever, and others are coming down with it,

I can ~~go~~ home 2 months now, as my conduct has been good every since, I started to school here. O say! I saw Mr. Thornton last Saturday in L.A.

I forgot to get his address, do you know what it is?

We were going to have a basket ball game with Monrovia High Feb 9, but ~~the ground~~ ^{it} was too wet. We have champion ^{sp} of our territory so far, we played about 50 games,



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How ~~do~~ you like school; every day chitoy
here, I want to come home all the ~~more~~^{more},
sometimes I feel like going A.W.O.L., that
means absent without leave. I bet you
will be glad when June 17, comes.

I had the ^{most} fun in the 8th, didn't you?
~~It~~ ^{It} sure hard to appreciate home, while
~~apart~~ ^{at} there, but it is a entirely
different thing when a person gets a
^{home} way once, I guess I would give anything if I
could go home. Every Saturday

How do you like the going weather
well I guess I will have to close for this time,
as my room mate wants to turn out the light.
P.S. write soon.

b+.
as.

William Sockman.

